

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
 FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1998 - 1000 MST  
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL I

CURRENT SITUATION: Fire activity increased this past week in the Southern and Eastern Areas. Very high and extreme fire indices were reported in Louisiana, Texas, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin and Missouri.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

LEHIGH 98, Florida State. All of the structures burned on the Lehigh 98 fire were utility sheds. Three homes, a travel trailer and vehicle were damaged.

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
LEHIGH 98	FLS	FL	550	100	---	128	0	17	1	8	25K	2K
BIG CREEK	CNF	TN	300	100	---	10	0	0	0	0	6K	9K

FLS = Florida State                      CNF = Cherokee National Forest

EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
SHAFT 271	MTF	MO	459	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	15K	25K
WEST FORK	MTF	MO	261	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	15K	NR

MTF = Mark Twain National Forest

OUTLOOK: The Southern Area, except Florida will have scattered showers and thunderstorms through next week. High temperatures will be in the 70's and lower 80's today, cooling to the 60's and 70's through next week. Florida will be dry, except for a few showers and thunderstorms in the north today and Saturday. High temperatures will be in the upper 70's in the north and 80's in the south.

The Great Lakes States will have a chance of light rain or snow in Minnesota and northwest Wisconsin tonight and Saturday. There is a chance of showers Sunday and Monday, otherwise dry conditions are forecast through next week. High temperatures will be in the 40's and 50's, warming a few degrees late next week.

Southeast New Mexico will be mostly cloudy with a chance of rain and high mountain snow showers today, otherwise dry through next week. High temperatures will be in the 40's to mid 50's today, warming to the 60's and 70's by mid-week.

FIRES: 4/10 - 4/16

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR
NORTHWEST						2	2
CA-NORTH							NR
CA-SOUTH							NR
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST							NR
GB-WEST							NR
SOUTHWEST							NR
ROCKY MTN							NR
EASTERN	6				563	47	616
SOUTHERN				3	440	20	463
USA	6	0	0	3	1,003	69	1,081

ACRES BURNED: 4/10 - 4/16

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR
NORTHWEST						0	0
CA-NORTH							NR
CA-SOUTH							NR
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST							NR
GB-WEST							NR
SOUTHWEST							NR
ROCKY MTN							NR
EASTERN	3				5,002	1,104	6,109
SOUTHERN				12	6,338	97	6,447
USA	3	0	0	12	11,340	1,201	12,556

RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources

AREA	CREWS		ENGINES		HELICOP.		AIRTNK.		OVERHEAD	
	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST										
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST										
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN									1	
SOUTHERN	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

ST/O = STATE OR OTHER RESOURCES

NR = NO REPORT

FIRES: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							0
NORTHWEST		6				10	16
CA-NORTH							0
CA-SOUTH					38	2	40

NORTHERN							0
GB-EAST							0
GB-WEST							0
SOUTHWEST	172	8		8	243	19	450
ROCKY MTN					1	1	2
EASTERN	180			9	3,730	168	4,087
SOUTHERN	8		13	11	8,282	304	8,618
USA	360	14	13	28	12,294	504	13,213

ACRES BURNED: Year to date							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							0
NORTHWEST		605				37	642
CA-NORTH							0
CA-SOUTH					0	0	0
NORTHERN							0
GB-EAST							0
GB-WEST							0
SOUTHWEST	907	112		321	20,562	122	22,024
ROCKY MTN					3,500	125	3,625
EASTERN	6,512			174	35,869	2,562	45,117
SOUTHERN	35		4,904	4,543	144,377	3,984	157,843
USA	7,454	717	4,904	5,038	204,308	6,830	229,251

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